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RE: NPDES Draft Permit (TN0063886) Comment

Dear Mr. Janjic,

It is the wish of the City of Celina to comment on the current Draft NPDES Permit, (TN0063886).

Wastewater personnel respectfully ask that Influent BOD Composite Sampling be eliminated from the upcoming final NPDES Permit.

- ✓ We believe that the thirty (30) day detention time creates a situation where the Influent composite has little value when comparing it to the grab effluent sample.
- ✓ Industry within the City of Celina no longer contributes a significant flow to the wastewater treatment facility.
- ✓ When this wastewater facility was constructed Osh Kosh was in operation. Osh Kosh ceased to operate in approximately the year of 1999. It was a clothes washing business which contributed approximately 500,000. gallons per day, 7 days per week.

To reiterate, our detention time within the wastewater plant is rather lengthy. Due to this fact we wish to eliminate the influent flow composite sampling component of our NPDES permit.

Sincerely,

Mayor Willie P. Kerr  
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